

NELLA WEBB

THE GREATEST OF AMERICAN SONG ACTRESSES

Will play at the Bijou Theater for one week only beginning Tomorrow Night, April 7th

Nella Webb is the only American Artist who achieved success in England equal to that won by their own great vaudeville stars such as Vesta Tilly, Vesta Victoria, Alice Lloyd and Ada Reeves.

Miss Nella Webb is the highest salaried vaudeville artiste and in my opinion the cleverest singing actress who has ever appeared in Honolulu.

J. C. COHEN.

I have heard Nella Webb in Australia and in London. In both instances she was the big hit of the bill. Honolulu is fortunate in having the opportunity of hearing this clever performer.

SAM BLAIR.

KAM CADETS RETURN FROM ENCAMPMENT

The cadets of the Kamehameha Schools began their last term of school yesterday morning after spending an enjoyable Easter vacation in camp at Makua.

The battalion, 160 strong, left the school last Monday morning under command of the military instructor, Lieut. Booth. Camp was pitched at the old favorite spot, Camp McCandless, at Kaena Point. The cadets carried their arms along but the only military work while in camp during the six days was guard duty. Ample supply of ammunition was carried along, and the older boys were given ten rounds daily for goat hunting. The record of wild goats killed on the Kaala ridge this year was not so good as that of the previous year. All told 36 goats were reported killed and their skins were brought back as prizes.

The younger boys had the time of their lives swimming and fishing. There were no accidents of any kind. On Friday morning four cadets left camp at 6 o'clock and when they were missed at roll call during retreat much anxiety was felt among the faculty and students. When the four boys, S. Kauhane, E. Crowell, W. Martin and D. Kalua, failed to show up at 8:30 that evening Lieut. Booth appeared to the neighbors, John Kalua, who knew the trails well. He volunteered to make a hunt for the lost cadets and, barefooted, left camp at 9 o'clock with a lantern. He returned to camp at 12:30 the same night with the lost boys and was given a hearty three cheers. There was no other excitement during the week. Camp was struck Saturday.

The cadets will now put in some hard work for the next nine weeks of the school term. President Webster and many of the male faculty members spent the week in camp, also. The cadets appreciated the outing very much.

H. E. Webster of the New York firm bearing his name has written the promotion committee for literature to be distributed in New York City. Mr. Webster formerly resided in the islands.



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SACHETTI SURVIVOR OF MESSINA

Tenor Who Will Be Heard at Bijou Theater Was In Big 'Quake

One of the few survivors of the Municipal Opera Company of Messina at the time of the earthquake which devastated that place is Umberto Sacchetti, the primo-tenore of the Bevan Grand Opera Company, which will open a limited engagement at the Bijou theater commencing April 15. Sacchetti was at that time engaged by Puccini to create the role of Rudolph in his great opera "La Boheme."

The earthquake occurred at 5 o'clock on the morning of the day set for the opening of the grand opera season at Messina. All of the company lost their lives with the exception of Madam Kerilich, the celebrated Blenish lyric soprano; Signor Anchischi, the famous Italian baritone, and Mr. Sacchetti.

The escape of Anchischi and Sacchetti was most remarkable and thrilling. The hotel in which they were residing was literally demolished. As the walls and roof of the wrecked building fell around the artists who were occupying the same room a large timber was lodged on an angle in the debris and the two men were able to crawl down, squirrel-like, to the street below—or rather what had been the street.

Sacchetti has never fully recovered from the nervous breakdown which followed his three days of heroic work in assisting the wounded and dying. For 72 hours he and the few survivors of the disaster worked without sleep or food, several of the survivors later succumbing to the exhaustion of this work.

The leading tenor role in "The Girl of the Golden West," is another creation of Sacchetti's, he having made a tour of America in this opera following which he was featured on a European season.

Announcement was made of the appointment of Andrew J. Currier of New Bedford, Mass., as agent of the Warren Manufacturing Company at Warren, R. I., which operates big cotton mills.

NELLA WEBB 'DISCOVERED' ABROAD

Nella Webb, the artist who sprang into instant favor in the great London music halls some five years ago, and whose weekly envelope doubled in size several times within a few weeks, and whose ability has kept her in constant demand in England and Australia since that time, will appear as the feature attraction at the Bijou theater for one week, commencing tomorrow night. To say that Miss Webb will be the feature attraction is saying a great deal for the feature film offered at the same time is "The Man From Mexico," starring John Barrymore. A clever photo-play was an exceedingly clever actor.

While England and Australia have been the cradles for the rearing of Miss Webb's ability as a "single" entertainer, and while she is frequently mistaken for an English or Australian woman, she is very anxious that all

'COUNTY CHAIRMAN' FOR LAST TIME

Tonight will be the last opportunity afforded to Honoluluans to enjoy a big laugh over George Ade's famous comedy-drama, "The County Chairman." This Famous Player feature closes at the Bijou theater with tonight's performance and Mabel Arbuckle and Willis P. Sweetnam will have to their credit the fact that they have caused hundreds in this city to laugh and laugh big at their clever work in the story of love and politics in ante-bellum days.

"The County Chairman" is a photo-play worth while, being an improvement even upon the animated offering, owing to the fact that the film allows for much greater detail of story. The work of the artists is equal to the living drama for the reason that the principals for many years on the stage are also the principals in the picture. Arbuckle created the name part while Sweetnam goes the credit for being the originator of Sas-



Umberto Sacchetti, tenor with Bevan Grand Opera Company.

EVANGELICAL CONVENTION IS ON TOMORROW

The annual convention of the Hawaiian Evangelical Association will be held at the Kawaiahaeo church Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Pastors and delegates from all of the Evangelical churches in the islands are expected to attend. The Christian Endeavor societies and the Sunday schools will join with the main churches in the convention.

Thursday night at 7:15 the Endeavor societies will meet outside the church with the members of the Oahu Young People's Christian Union and, led by the society of the Chinese church, the organizations will march into the church at 7:20 where a program will be carried out. A social will conclude the convention Thursday of the Christian Endeavor.

Government authorities stopped all motor service in Berlin.

ADVERTISING CO. GETS BAN ON ALL WHISKY POSTERS

Further details of an important step taken by the Poster Advertising Association in which whisky posters are barred from billboards came in yesterday's mail in the form of an official notification to the Pioneer Advertising Company of this city.

The resolution adopted by the directors of the association is as follows:

"Resolved, That on and after the first day of May, 1915, no contracts for posters which advertise whisky, rum, gin, brandy or other spirituous liquors shall be accepted for posting by any member of this association, and all contracts for advertising such products shall terminate not later than December 31, 1915; and thereafter no posters advertising such products shall appear on the boards of members of the association under any circumstances whatsoever."

The resolution was unanimously

adopted by the directors at the meeting held at Palm Beach, Fla., March 10.

This action is due, in large part, to the uplift movement which the association has been engaged in all over the country as evidenced by the "Nativity" posters, "Boy Scout," "Children's Day," "Grant" and other posters which Honoluluans have already seen. It was regarded as the height of inconsistency for the organization to continue to exploit products whose reputation for ill effects is so widely proclaimed.

Charles E. Frazier, owner of the Pioneer Advertising Company of Honolulu, points out that his company has refused whisky posters ever since he took over the business some ten years ago.

To recover for the Territory a tract at Keoneula, Kapalama-ka, Honolulu, Land Commissioner Joshua Tucker has filed an ejectment suit against the United Chinese Benevolent Society, which received the grant from the Republic of Hawaii in 1896. The land, 1.84 acres, was given for hospital purposes. The commissioner avers it has not been used for that purpose. Representative W. H. Crawford recently introduced a bill in the legislature which would require the commissioner to issue a fee simple patent to the society for the land.

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